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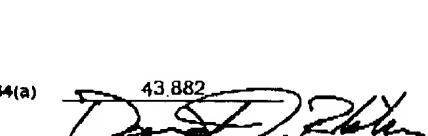
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	In re Application of Christian Boehne Application Number 09/889916 Filed October 24, 2001 For METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE PRODUCTION OF LIGHT-METAL PELLETS Art Unit 1725 Examiner Kuang Y Lin	
	This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.	
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